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Docket No.: 49657-742

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of

Katsunori ITOU, et al.

Serial No.: 09/582,982

Filed: July 10, 2000

For: ANTIFRICTION BEARING PART FOR HIGH TEMPERATURE

: Customer Number: 20277

: Confirmation Number: 4615

: Group Art Unit: 1742

: Examiner: H. Wilkins, III

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Petition for Extension of Time

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated April 28, 2003, now due to expire July 28, 2003, be extended for one month(s) and set to expire on August 28, 2003.

Please charge the extension fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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